

SERIAL NO. 10/784,478

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	HAEFNER	Examiner:	Kahelin, M.
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. §1.97(d))

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is a submission pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (c-d) filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

Applicant has not provided a copy of the U.S. publication/patents listed on the enclosed Form 1449 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2).

No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103 and Applicants reserve the right, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, to establish that the reference(s) are not "prior art." Moreover, Applicants do not represent that a reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is intended.

Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked

as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

Respectfully submitted,
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